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## TRANSMITTAL OF UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

**1. Utility Patent Application:**

15 Pages of specification; 2 Pages of claims; 1 Page of Abstract

7 Sheets of drawings: ☐ informal ☒ formal

2. ☐ This is a ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-In-Part (CIP) of prior application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_, and entitled \_\_\_\_\_, the entire disclosure of which is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

☒ Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. The fee for excess claims has been calculated below.

☐ Cancel in this application, claims \_\_\_\_ of the prior application (at least one claim retained), before calculating the filing fee below.

**3. ☒ Combined Declaration/Power of Attorney:**

☒ newly executed ☐ unsigned

☐ copy from prior application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)(1))

☐ The application is being filed by less than all inventors named in the prior application. Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior application (37 CFR § 1.63(d)(2)):

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**4. ☒ Additional Papers enclosed:**

☒ A return postcard.

☒ Assignment of the invention to: IBIDEN CO., LTD. ☒ Cover Sheet for Assignment.

☒ Information Disclosure Statement ☒ Form 1449 ☒ Copy of IDS Citations

☐ Certified copy of Priority Document as a \_\_\_\_\_ application, Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.

**5. Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16).**

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TOTAL CLAIMS	<u>9</u> minus 20 =	0	X \$ 9 =	\$ _____	OR	X \$ 18 =	\$ _____
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	<u>2</u> minus 3 =	0	X \$ 40 =	\$ _____	OR	X \$ 80 =	\$ _____
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			TOTAL	\$ _____	OR	TOTAL	\$ 710.00

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8. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status:

☐ is enclosed. ☐ a copy is enclosed which was filed in the previous provisional application.

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